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REQUEST FOR REFUND PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.28

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On October 13, 2009, Applicants timely filed a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to a Final Office Action, mailed April 13, 2009. In connection with the October 13, 2009 filing, Applicants paid a total of \$1,920, the full fee for filing the Request for Continued Examination and the Petition for a three month extension of time. Copies of Applicants' Electronic Acknowledgement Receipt and Electronic Patent Application Fee Transmittal corresponding to the October 13, 2009 filing are enclosed.

Applicants submit herewith a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c). Accordingly, Applicants request a refund of \$960, the difference between the full fee paid by Applicants and the fees due based on the establishment of small entity status.

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This request is submitted within three months of the date of the timely payment of the full fee in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a).

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